GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Home (Courts.A) Department - Payment of Professional fee to Sri Sidharth Luthra, Learned Senior Advocate for his appearance on behalf of the State of Andhra Pradesh in the Hon'ble High Court in Cr.No.137/2023, in supersession of orders issued in G.O.Rt.No.1387, Home (Courts.A) Dept., dated 22.08.2025 - Orders – Issued.

HOME (COURTS.A) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No.1610 **Dated.15-10-2025**

Read the following: -

1. G.O.Rt.No.214, Law(G) Department, dated 11.08.2022
2. G.O.Rt.No.288, Law (G) Department, dated31.08.2023.
3. U.O.Note No.2225036/Budget.I/2024, Fin(Budget.I) Department, Dated 23-01-2024.
4. G.O.Rt.No.786, Home (Courts.A) Dept., dated 27.08.2024.
5. From the Public Prosecutor, High Court of A.P., Lr.No.82/2024, dated 09.12.2024 & 23.09.2025.
6. From the Public Prosecutor, High Court of A.P., Lr.No.87/2024, dated 19.12.2024 & 23.09.2025.
7. From the Public Prosecutor, High Court of A.P., Lr.No.89/2024, dated26.12.2024& 23.09.2025.
8. From the Public Prosecutor, High Court of A.P., Lr.No.1/2025, dated 08.01.2025& 23.09.2025.
9. G.O.Rt.No.1387, Home (Courts.A) Dept., dated 22.08.2025.
10. From the Public Prosecutor, High Court of A.P., Lr.No.82/2024, dated 23.09.2025.

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In the circumstances reported by the Public Prosecutor, High Court of Andhra Pradesh, Amaravati in the references 5th to 8th& 10thread above, Government after careful examination of the matter and in supersession of earlier orders issued in G.O.Rt.No.1387, Home (Courts.A) Department, dated 22.08.2025, hereby accord sanction for payment of total professional fee for an amount of Rs.55,00,000/- (Rupees Fifty Five Lakhs only) to Sri Sidharth Luthra, Learned Senior Advocate, towards his appearance on behalf of the State of Andhra Pradesh in the Hon'ble High Court of Andhra Pradesh in Cr.No.137/2023, in relaxation of the orders issued in G.O.Rt.No.214, Law (G) Department, dated 11.08.2022 and G.O.Rt.No.288, Law (G) Department, dated 31.08.2023, as detailed below:

(P.T.O)

(i) Fees for appearance on 13.11.2024 & 29.11.2024:

Sl.No.	Crime No.	CRLP No.	Appearance Date	Amount (Rs.)	Total Amount (Rs.)
1.	137/2023	5671/2024 5197/2024 4896/2024 5230/2024 5256/2024 5367/2024 5475/2024 5487/2024 5503/2024 5550/2024 5553/2024 5585/2024 5652/2024 5718/2024 5724/2024 5752/2024 5839/2024 5920/2024	13.11.2024 & 29.11.2024	20,00,000.00 (10,00,000 + 10,00,000)	**20,00,000.00**
Total					**20,00,000.00**
(+) Clerkage @10% (20,00,000@10%)				2,00,000.00	2,00,000.00
Grand Total					**22,00,000.00**

(ii) Fees for appearance on 11.12.2024

Sl.No.	Crime No.	CRLP No.	Appearance Date	Amount (Rs.)	Total Amount (Rs.)
1.	137/2023	5671/2024 5197/2024 4896/2024 5230/2024 5256/2024 5367/2024 5475/2024 5487/2024 5503/2024 5550/2024 5553/2024 5585/2024 5652/2024 5718/2024 5724/2024 5752/2024	11.12.2024		

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		5839/2024 5920/2024		10,00,000.00	**10,00,000.00**
Total					**10,00,000.00**
(+) Clerkage @10% (10,00,000@10%)				1,00,000.00	1,00,000.00
Grand Total					**11,00,000.00**

(iii) Fees for appearance on 20.12.2024

Sl.No.	Crime No.	CRLP No.	Appearance Date	Amount (Rs.)	Total Amount (Rs.)
1.	137/2023	5671/2024 5197/2024 4896/2024 5230/2024 5256/2024 5367/2024 5475/2024 5487/2024 5503/2024 5550/2024 5553/2024 5585/2024 5652/2024 5718/2024 5724/2024 5752/2024 5839/2024 5920/2024	20.12.2024	10,00,000.00	**10,00,000.00**
Total					**10,00,000.00**
(+) Clerkage @10% (10,00,000@10%)				1,00,000.00	1,00,000.00
Grand Total					**11,00,000.00**

(iv) Fees for appearance on 31.12.2024

Sl.No.	Crime No.	CRLP No.	Appearance Date	Amount (Rs.)	Total Amount (Rs.)
1.	137/2023	5671/2024	31.12.2024	10,00,000.00	**10,00,000.00**
Total					**10,00,000.00**
(+) Clerkage @10% (10,00,000@10%)				1,00,000.00	1,00,000.00
Grand Total					**11,00,000.00**

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2. The Law Department is requested to debit the expenditure sanctioned in the above paragraph to the following Head of Account:

> "2052 – Secretariat General Services – 090 Secretariat – 10 Law Department – 280 Professional Services – 281 Pleader Fee", in accordance with the orders issued in G.O.Ms.No.288, Law (G) Department.

3. The Deputy Pay and Accounts Officer, Secretariat Branch, Velagapudi, is requested to credit the sanctioned amount to the bank account of the concerned advocate as detailed below:

Name	:	Sidharth Luthra
Bank	:	HDFC Bank Ltd.
Account No.	:	01342320002770
IFSC Code	:	HDFC0000134

4. This order is issued with the concurrence of the Finance (FMU-H&C) Department vide their U.O. No. FIN01-FMU0ASD(HCL)/40/2025-FMU-HC, dated.05.08.2025 (Computer No:2794555)and after following the due procedure prescribed under the Andhra Pradesh Secretariat Business Rules, 2018.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

KUMAR VISHWAJEET
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The Law Department, A.P. Secretariat (we).
The Public Prosecutor, High Court of Andhra Pradesh, Amaravati.
The Director of Treasuries and Accounts, Andhra Pradesh, Mangalagiri.
The Accountant General, Andhra Pradesh, Vijayawada.
The Finance (FMU-H&C) Department.
Copy to:
The OSD to Minister (Home).
The P.S. to Principal Secretary to Government, Home Department.
The Director of Translation, A.P., for translation of Telugu version.
SF/SCs.

//FORWARDED::BY ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER